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> Ms. Linda Beasley **Enforcement Specialist** U.S. EPA-Region V Emergency Support Section, HSE-5J 77 West Jackson Boulevard Chicago, Illinois 60604

Conservation Chemical Company of Illinois, Inc. Site,

Gary, Indiana

Dear Ms. Beasley:

On behalf of Georgetown Steel Company, I am acknowledging Georgetown's receipt of two EPA letters dated September 28, 1994 from Richard C. Karl, Chief, Emergency and Enforcement Response Branch to Andrews Wire Company regarding the potential responsibility of two Andrews Wire facilities at the above-referenced site. This letter is being sent to you after the ten day period referenced in Mr. Karl's letter because Georgetown did not itself receive the documents until after that period had passed. Georgetown no longer owns the Andrews Wire facilities to which the notice letters were sent, but is handling matters related to those facilities' involvement at the Site. You may address future correspondence concerning Andrews Wire and Conservation Chemical to me.

In response to your letter, please be advised that Georgetown is a member of the Conservation Chemical Company of Illinois, Inc. De Minimis Group, and that it will continue to work with EPA though the De Minimis Group regarding this matter.

Please let me know if EPA requires any additional response from Georgetown in connection with the letter dated September 28, 1994.

Very truly yours,

Max E. Justice Waster

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